

# Fruitland Evangelical Covenant Church

## “ROMANS: The Gospel of God”

10:30am Worship      October 16, 2022

### CALL TO WORSHIP

*“Change My Heart Oh God”*

### WE WORSHIP THROUGH SONG

*“Open My Eyes That I May See” #368*

*“Take My Life”*

*“Open The Eyes Of My Heart”*

### WE WORSHIP THROUGH PRAYER AND GIVING

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow;*

*Praise Him all creatures here below;*

*Praise Him above ye heav'nly host;*

*Praise Father, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

### Noisy Offering

*Lighthouse Veterans*

### CHILDREN’S SERMON

**Ronda Bonebrake**

*Children ages 3-8 are invited to Children’s Church.*

### WE WORSHIP THROUGH HEARING GOD’S WORD

**Romans 2:17-3:8**

### MESSAGE

**“The Heart of the Problem”**

**Pastor Carl Franzon**

### SONG OF RESPONSE

*“We Will Feast In The House Of Zion”*

### BENEDICTION

**You are invited to join us for coffee and cookies after the service today in the gym.**

## EVENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Dig-In continues tonight** at 6:00 with chili dogs for all. Come join the fun! Multigenerational!!! Games, Bible story, crafts, get to know our church family. We are having fun with the parables. We dismiss at 7:30. Please sign up if you are willing to make a meal for 20-25. Suggested donation \$5 or max of \$10 per family.

**Noisy Offering** today is Lighthouse Veterans. Natasha is here to share about their ministry.

**Muskegon Rescue Mission** is asking our church to contribute 200 boxes of cake mixes (assorted) for the annual Thanksgiving dinner giveaway. Watch for sales-bring them to church until October 23rd. Place them in the barrel in the narthex. We are more than half the way there!

**Operation Christmas Child** shoe box collection time is getting closer. Collection week is November 13-21. Start packing those shoe boxes. We packed 39 last year. Let's aim for more this year. We as a church are a collection center. Signups are out. Check your calendars!

### **BUDGET UPDATE**

Life of the Church Needs Thru September 2022: \$148,626

Life of the Church Giving Thru September 2022: \$142,926

Current Shortfall Thru September 2022: -\$5,700

### **Next Week's Message**

**Pastor Carl Franzon**  
**"The Human Predicament"**

**Romans 3:9-20**

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Welcome to Fruitland Covenant Church, an intergenerational church preparing people to be the faithful presence of Jesus wherever life takes them.

### **Staff:**

**Carl Franzon, *Pastor***  
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